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Sir:

1. In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with the procedures of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, attorneys for Applicants hereby bring the following reference to the attention of the Examiner. The reference is listed on the attached modified PTO Form No. 1449. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.
2. The filing of this Information Disclosure Statement and the attached PTO Form No. 1449, shall not be construed as an admission that the information cited is prior art, or is considered to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).
3. It is hereby certified that each item of information contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement 37 CFR §1.97(e)(2).
4. A copy of each patent, publication or other information listed on the modified PTO 1449 is enclosed, unless otherwise noted.
5. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of a final action, Notice of Allowance or an action that otherwise closes prosecution, but before payment of the Issue Fee, Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the Information Disclosure Statement be considered. Please charge payment of the petition fee of \$180.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(p) by credit card and any additional fees that may be required to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**.

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